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New U.S. Patent Application
Title: APPOINTMENT SCHEME FOR REDISTRIBUTING SERVICE
ACCESS
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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application- 38 pages, including a title page, 34 independent claims and 52 claims total, and an abstract page.
2. Drawings- Six (6) sheets of drawings (Figures 1 to 7).
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Basic Application Filing Fee					\$710	\$ \$710.00
	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims		
Total Claims	52	-	20	32	x \$18	576.00
Independent Claims	34	-	3	31	x \$80	2,480.00
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This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f).
Applicant awaits notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the Declaration.

Please accord this application an application number and filing date.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees due and any other fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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